

Fair Elections Project: Statement on draft maps submitted by Gov. Evers

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MILWAUKEE— Sachin Chheda, director at the Fair Elections Project, issued the following statement in response to Governor Evers' draft maps submitted Wednesday:

“The ‘least changes’ criteria is total bunk and not supported by statute or the constitution. It was wholly made up by the ultra-partisan Supreme Court majority in order to help their political overlords, Robin Vos and Devin LeMahieu. **We agree with the Governor that the court should be using a non-partisan and fair process to draw maps, not just doing the bidding of their right-wing political allies.**

“All that said, these maps proposed by Governor Evers are fairer, more compliant with state & federal law and redistricting criteria, and even more compliant with the ridiculous ‘least changes’ criteria than the rigged Republican proposal. **If the state high Court rejects these maps in favor of a more egregious gerrymander, it will be yet another proof point that they are more concerned with politics than the law.**”